IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re App	olication of: Sandy Garrett)		
Applicat	ion No: 10/734,046)	Art Unit:	3624
Filed:	December 11, 2003)	Confirmation No.: 8990	
For:	METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR PAYMENT OF EQUIPMENT USAGE)	Examiner:	Ella Colbert

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

AMENDMENT

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), please grant any extension of time that this paper requires but no accompanying paper requests. Also, please charge any additional fee occasioned by this paper, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 06-1448, Reference GAO-001.01.

Please enter the following amendments before considering the above-identified patent application: